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OPERATIONS ARE STARTED

Eighteen Shops Of Imperial Bottle Works Begin This Morning.

MANY ORDERS COMING IN

At seven o'clock this morning the Imperial bottle factory started operations at the plant recently leased, and formerly occupied by the Hamilton Glass works Nine shops on the one tank which during the past few weeks has been undergoing repairs were put in operation, and considerable ware is being prepared for market.

The factory will be worked day and night, making a total of eighteen shops to be placed in operation. The work on one of the new tanks which is being installed is progressing rapidly, and in a short time this also may be started, while a third smaller will be installed.

Many orders have been received and the outlook is bright for a steady run of several months, with a large daily output.

Edict Preventing Sprinkling.

Waynesburg, Pa., Sept. 13.—The Waynesburg Water company has issued an order forbidding the sprinkling of lawns and pavements, owing to the scarcity of water resulting from the drought. The company asserts its reservoirs will be exhausted if there is no rain this week. Many industrial plants of the county have suspended owing to the lack of water.

Misses and Childrens $1.50 shoes at 98c—Mostly all sizes—In our Bargain Basement. Louis Beigel—For Good [illegible] McKean avenue. 28t2

[illegible]NSWER [illegible]RGE IN COURT

[illegible]e Logan, ex-chief of police of [illegible]ongahela, was lodged in jail Saturday on a bailpiece. About a week [illegible]o Logan was arrested on charges of larceny by bailee, larceny from the person and extortion. The prosecutor was Micci Bootho, of Marianna. Logan was arrested and taken before Alderman A. R. Day, Monongahela, where he gave $300 bond for his appearance at court. Detective J. Wallace Hilton went his bail. Hilton was informed, so it is said that two other charges of a similar nature had been made against Logan and were now in the district attorney's office. He went before Alderman Day and surrendered the bond. Logan was rearrested and taken to the county jail Saturday evening. District Attorney C. L. V. Acheson stated last night that he knew of no other charges against Logan but the one.

Logan arrested Bootho several days ago charging him with selling liquor without license. He was arrested and taken before Alderman Day, Monongahela, where the foreigner furnished the required amount of bond.

Bootho alleges that when arrested Logan took $863 from him and made the defendant pay $14 rig hire. Logan is alleged to have returned but $333 to the foreigner, leaving a balance of $87 unaccounted for. The foreigner said that Logan was to have paid the costs with the $87, but that he had them to pay over again. Logan would not talk of his case last night.

Peoples Bank Wins Note Suit In Armstrong

Kittanning, Spet. 14.—After being out 12 hours, the jury in the case of the People's bank of California, against the Brady's Bend Clay Manufacturing company, returned a verdict for the bank of $2,170 Saturday. The trial brought out many features connected with the closing of the People's bank. The note upon which the action to recover was brought was made by the Brady's Bend company at a meeting of the directors held at the company's office in Pittsburg and was for $2,000, payable in four months. It was given to W. L. Lenhart, of Brownsville, one of the directors, to be discounted. This was the last the Brady's Bend company heard of the note until the People's bank was closed. Then notice was served on the company that a note with accrued interest, against the company, was among the assets found in the bank. The company repudiated the note, declaring it had never realized any money on it. Suit followed.

MONESSEN DOES NOT LOSE STATE APPROPRIATION

Saturday F. D. Bumbaugh, treasurer, of the Monessen school board received the state appropriation for the school from the State Superintendent, the amount being $5,900.25. It was contended that the borough would lose their appropriation on account of not having filed the annual financial report with the state superintendent at Harrisburg prior to July 15th.

Daniel Reamer, the president of the board, who is an attorney at law, denied emphatically that the appropriation was endangered at any time. He said there was some dissatisfaction about the approval of the bond which caused some to question whether or not the warrant would be authorized, but that all the requirements of the law had been met. The taxpayers of the town were considerably wrought up over the matter on account of the fear of having to make up the deficit but now that the check has been received matters will assume different proportions.

PLENTY OF RAIN PROMISED SOON

Plenty of rain for this section and the drought-stricken North Central and East Central States is promised before the close of the week, though local indications are that there will be no relief for 24 hours at least. A special forecast from Washington tells of well defined disturbances approaching from the North Pacific coast and from the West Indies. A storm from the latter section is advancing on the Southeastern States, and the combination, it is thought, will be fruitful of rain in the near future.

48c for Infants shoes, our regular $1.00 and 75c grades in our Bargain Basement. Lious Beigel—For good shoes—419 McKean avenue. 28t2

WANTED—Good boy to work in store. Apply Greenberg's Fifth street and McKean avenue. 27t2

FOUND IN BASEMENT

Roscoe Man Thought To Have Committed Suicide.

SHERIFF MADE LEVY

His place of business closed by the sheriff on Saturday before last, the destitute owner disappearing from sight last Wednesday and the finding of his remains yesterday morning in his former place of business in the town of Roscoe, is the fate of Gotlieb Blanco, a respected citizen of that town. It is supposed that the dead man could not stand his destitute condition and rather than face the world branded as a failure, preferred to end his earthly troubles.

Blanco's pool room was closed by Sheriff J. G. Murphy last Saturday week. He did not turn over the keys to Sheriff Murphy and the sheriff was later informed that Blanco had entered his former place of business. Sheriff Murphy secured the second key. Shortly after this was taken away from him Blanco disappeared. He was last seen Wednesday of last week. Yesterday morning the family that resided next door to the pool room were sickened by an odor and then looked in the back lots nearby but could not locate the stench. Finally one of the searchers looked in the back window of the pool room and saw the decomposed body of Blanco, lying face downward.

Undertaker McKenna was notified but refused to take the body from the place until Sheriff Murphy was communicated with and the official's consent given to open the pool room. This was done and the remains were taken to the McKenna undertaking rooms.

Coroner W. H. Sipe is in Roscoe today investigating the affair.

Resolution of Respect.

Resolutions of respect, adopted by Charleroi Circle No. 303 of The Protected Home Circle, on the death of Frank P. Strausser, Charleroi, Pa., Sept. 11th, 1908.

Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty to remove from among us one of our worthy esteemed brothers Frank P. Strausser, in which we feel a great loss, but bow submissive to his will, therefore

Resolved: That the sudden removal of such a life from our midst leaves a vacancy that will be deeply realized by all members of this organization.

Resolved: That with deep sympathy with the bereaved relatives of the deceased, we express our hope that even so great a loss to us all may be overruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our Minutes, a copy printed in the local papers and a copy forwarded to the bereaved family.

Committee. 28t1

Notice.

All goods left at my place over sixty days will be sold for charges, if not called for in ten days from date. R. O. Vetter, Bell Phone 87-L 28t1

COAL COMPANIES MAKING NEW BOATS TO SEND TO MINE

On account of the low water making it impossible to bring empties into the local harbor the Pittsburg river coal companies are building new boats and refitting old bottoms which will be rushed to the mine to keep them from suspending operations. There probably is more coal in the Pittsburg harbor, waiting for high water than for years and nearly as much as ever in the history of the coal industry. Inability to get empty flats alone prevents the coal companies from breaking all records. On Saturday a fleet of bottoms were taken to the Elizabeth boat yards where they will be fitted up. There is no higher stage of water predicted and the river interests are practically at a standstill.

Use Golden Crescent Flour. At your grocers. 27t1

ACCIDENT MARS RACES

Almost a Tragedy In Acquatic Sports At Monongahela.

BIG CROWD SATURDAY

Monongahela, Sept. 13.—With the ringing of bells and the cheering of thousands of throats, Monongahela's Old Home Week was closed at midnight last night. Saturday was one of the biggest days in point of attendance of the week, and was one of the most enjoyable, though for a short time in the afternoon it was thought that the day would be marred by a fatality as the result of a racing accident.

The acquatic races were scheduled to begin at 1:30 and by that time the river bank along the course was covered with people, and the Monongahela bridge was alive with gay crowds eager to see their favorites. The "Island Queen," the excursion steamer which had been chartered by the race committee was also crowded.

It was during the first race of the program, a race for single sculls, that the accident, which nearly resulted in the death of one of the oarsmen, took place. There were two entrants for the race, Thomas Cavett and Albert Cochran, of Pittsburg. The two left the starting point off the wharf and started neck to neck on the trip to the buoy above the bridge which marked the half-way point in the course. Cavett was in advance when the turn was made and was starting on the return trip when he was seen to reel and fall into the water. Cochran [illegible] and he bravely jumped into the river to his opponent's assistance. A struggle in the water ensued, but Cochran finally succeeded in controlling Cavett and held the other afloat until help from a launch arrived. Medical assistance was procured and Cavett was revived. The rescue was thrilling and was witnessed by several thousand persons from the shore and from the bridge; who cheered the rescuer heartily when he plunged into the river to assist his companion, and when both were finally pulled from the water. It was stated that Cavett's collapse was due to over-exertion.

A race in which a great deal of interest was exhibited was the race for motor boats of a speed of 20 miles per hour or better. There were three entrants for this race, the "Gray Wolf," "Sprinter" and the "Tidioutte." The race was finally won by the "Sprinter," with the "Tidioute" second and the "Gray Wolf" third.

The results of the different races are given below:

Launches, three to five horsepower—Paul, of Pittsburg Yacht club, first; Chippewa, Columbia Boat club, Pittsburg, second; Esther, Beaver Canoe club, third.

Launches, six to ten horsepower—Anna, Columbia Boat club, first; Mildred, Pittsburg Yacht club, second; Fayette, Pittsburg Yacht club, third.

Double scull—Yohe and Hoon, Monongahela, first; Lorrich and Scott, Monongahela, second; Carmack and Scott, Monongahela, third.

Launches, 10 to 15 horsepower—Arrah Wanna, Pittsburg, first; Aliquippa, second.

Canoe handicap—Zinzer and Rogerson, first; Webb and Rector second.

Canoe, free-for-all—Zinzer and Rogerson, first; Yohe and Hoon, second.

Motor boats, over 20 miles per hour—Sprinter, Pittsburg, first; Tidioute, Pittsburg, second; Gray Wolf, Columbia Boat club, third.

Saturday evening, crowds on the streets were nearly as large as those of Thursday evening. As the week drew to a close the different venders reduced the prices of their wares, and thousands of bushels of confetti filled the air. Until long into the night the crowds surged up and down Main street, loath to leave the city in which they had enjoyed one of the greatest weeks in the history of Monongahela.

CHARLEROI WINS FROM MONESSEN IN LAST GAME

Charleroi played the last game of the season on Saturday when the Monessen team was taken over in an eight inning game. The game was very much one-sided as Charleroi scored at will making four runs in the first inning on a single, a base on balls, a triple and a home run by Toohey. Another run was made in the third inning on one hit and in the fifth two came Charleroi's way.

Monessen didn't score until the third when a single and a home run counted twice. In the seventh two more were marked up, when Underwood singled and Willig pounded out a homer. Score:

Charleroi	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	—8
Monessen	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	—4

Batteries—Underwood, Laird and [illegible]; Humphries and Courtley.

Falls In Well; Two Bones Are Broken

Julian Frank, of Shady avenue sustained a severe injury Saturday when he fell into a well, breaking both bones of his left leg, a few inches above the ankle. Dr. Smith was called and set the bones.

Mr. Frank, who is a man of about forty-five years of age was on Saturday at work diggirg the well, and was starting to make the descent after a trip to the surface, when the rope which he was suspended broke and Frank fell to the bottom, a distance of about thirty feet. His cries attracted aid and the man was brought from the well and taken to his home. The injuries will keep him to his bed for sometime.

Look in our Bargain Basement, will be of interest to you. Odds and Ends of all kinds of good shoes on display. Louis Beigel—for good shoes—419 McKean avenue. 28t2

MINERS MAKE BIG MONEY AT MARIANNA MINES

A number of new entries were started at the Rachel shaft of the Pittsburg-Buffalo company, Marianna, this Monday morning, and fifty additional miners were put to work. John McVicker, formerly superintendent of Catsburg and Black Diamond, is in charge and is pushing the work of development in a thoroughly practical manner. The wages made by the men, at this mine is something above the ordinary, but the miners are able to keep it up from day to day, resulting in large pay envelopes twice a month. Mr. McVicker has furnished a list of eight names of miners, and the amount of money they make each day of work. Four English speaking men and four Russians were selected, with the amounts as set opposite their names on the pay roll, which is as follows:—

English speaking miners, per day:—H. B. Lambert, $7.90; John Miller, $7.90; Wm. Burns, $7.90; Jacob Cooper $7.90.

Russian miners—Larry Morris $7.90; John Cakeinoff, $7.90; Anthony Sineloff $7.90.

Supt. McVicker states that all the cutters and loaders are making good money. Open lights are used all over the mine, and that the Rachel shaft is a most desirable place to work.

PAXTON IS APPREHENDED

Young California Man Who Jumped Bail To Undergo Trial.

AN ALLEGED FORGER

Despite the fact that he forfeited his recognizance and failed to appear when called for trial at the last term of court, Harry G. Paxton, of California, will be tried in the Washington county court for forgery and uttering and publishing forged papers. The young man was captured at Pocahontas, Va., last week and was brought back to Washington by County Detective William McCleary. The detective arrived with his prisoner last evening and the latter is now in the county jail.

Paxton, it is alleged forged three checks on the First National bank of California using his brother's name, Dr. Cornelius Paxton, of California. The amounts of the checks were $30, $35 and $25. The bank proceeded against the young man and he was admitted on a bond of $500. his aunt, Rachel Cornelius, furnishing the amount. The time for his trial was set but Paxton failed to appear. His recognizance was forfeited.

The National Bankers' association took the case up and put its detectives on the trail of Paxton. He located the young man in Taxewell county, Virginia, engaged in surveying. The chief of police at Pocahontas placed Paxton under arrest and notified the authorities at Washington.

County Detective McCleary left on Wednesday night for Harrisburg where he secured requisition papers and then left for Pocahontas.

UNDISMAYED BY GOVENOR'S ACTION

Johnstown, Pa., September 14.—Undismayed by the refusal of Governor Hughes to allow the extradition of Joseph and Louis Egler, under arrest in New York for alleged complicity in the murder of their uncle, S. J. Rosenbloom, of Windber, District Attorney Miller, of Somerset county, has, by no means, abandoned the effort to bring the pair to trial.

Governor Hughes refused to act because the body found in a trunk near Camden, N. J., had not been positively identified as that of Rosenbloom, and District Attorney Miller, having already secured permission from the Camden authorities, is now preparing to have the body exhumed and examined by Windber doctors and dentists who were familiar with the anatomical peculiarities of the dead merchant.

Detective reports to the district attorney indicate positively that Alex. Rosenbloom, son of the Windber merchant and alleged principal in the murder plot is still in America, and word of his capture is expected any day. His movements have been traced to Camden, Dayton, O., Baltimore, New Orleans and New York, at which last place his appearance is known to have been greatly disguised.

Select Affair.

The Knights of Columbus outing at Eldora park Tuesday, Sept. 15, is to be a select affair, only the members and friends to be admitted.

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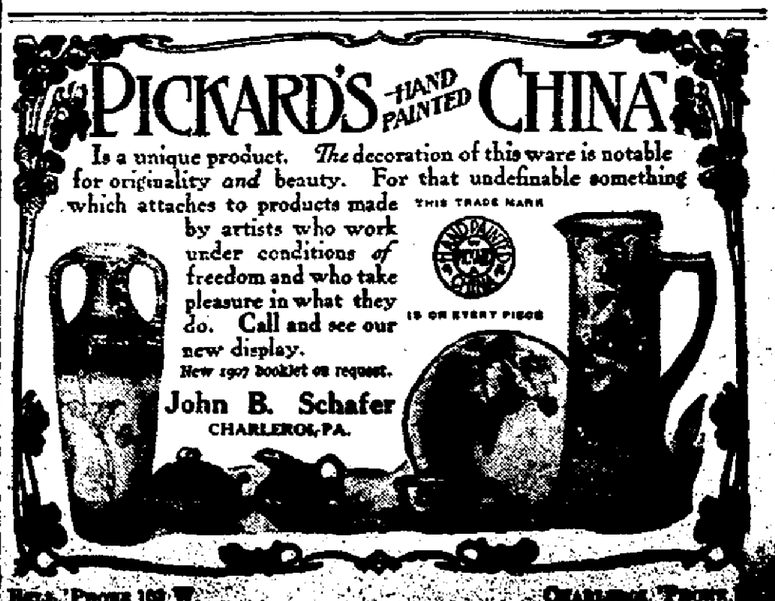

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Sept. 14 In History.

407—John Chrysostom, famous preacher of Constantinople, died.

1547—Jan van Olden Barneveldt, Dutch statesman and martyr, born; beheaded May 13, 1619.

1742—James Wilson, "signer" for Pennsylvania, born near St. Andrews, Scotland; died 1798.

1807—Fulton first ascended the Hudson by steam.

1852—The Duke of Wellington died; born 1769.

1901—President William McKinley died at Buffalo of the wound received on the 6th at the hands of Leon F. Czolgosz; born Niles, O., Jan. 29, 1843. Vice President Theodore Roosevelt took the oath of office as president of the United States.

1906—Secretary Taft ordered to Cuba on account of the revolution.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6.07, rises 5:36; moon rises 8:53 p. m.; moon's age 19 days; 4 p. m. planet Venus at greatest elongation west, farthest west from sun, 46 degrees and 2 minutes; now going almost directly from the earth

Electric Sparks.

A Texas man has married a woman whose pie killed her first husband. We admire courage in a man, but this looks like recklessness.

Guaranteeing the safe arrival of airships might also make a hit as a campaign issue.

Representative Longworth's remark that Taft is running on his record and that Bryan is running away from his record is equally epigramatic and accurate and well deserves to "stick."

In the matter of guaranteed bank deposits a great many people would prefer a guarantee that they will have deposits.

Springfield, Mass., is trying to find out the best way to advertise the town. Well, Springfield, Ohio, Springfield, Mo., Springfield, Ill., have tried coon lynching, but we do not recommend that kind of an ad.

So many campaign speakers are addressing pointed questions to Speaker Cannon that the speaker can hardly get a word in edgeways.

By a contest in donation of money with no string attachment, Messrs. Carnegie and Rockefeller could afford widespread satisfaction.

Treaty With China.

The latest advice from China to the Government at Washington indicates that the Chinese Government earnestly desires a strong treaty with the U. S. Government. The Chinese have observed with much interest, the manner in which Japan has swallowed Corea, horse wagon and dragoon. While China is too big a mouthful to be swallowed in a lump they realize that Japan is endeavoring to occupy their territory, step by step, until they shall have served China as they served Corea. So China desires the continued friendship of Uncle Sam, as she knows Uncle Sam will hold Japan in check. This treaty will be beneficial in the greatest degree to both China and this country and will be a great triumph for President Roosevelt.

Rain Promised.

The weather men promise rain, and make a statement that before the end of this week we will have wet in abundance Goodness knows we need it. The cities, towns, farms, hamlets, all are in dire straits from lack of water. The farmers are suffering perhaps more than any other class of individuals for not only are they held back from their agricultural pursuits, but are losing much stock through their inability to secure water. In several towns the sprinkling of lawns and streets has been prohibited by the water companies so that the liquid may be supplied for the mere necessities. The news sent out by the weather bureau is received with delight.

Where Women Run Things.

Froissy, the chief village of the canton in the arondissement of Clermont, half way between Paris and Amiens, has achieved fame these days through the discovery that many of its public offices are held by women.

Five important posts in this village of 235 inhabitants are filled by women who probably could not define the world suffragatta. Mme. Dauboin, the postwoman, has a hereditary title to her distinction.

"My father was a postman for 25 years and died two months before he was entitled to his retiring pension," she told a reporter. "The administration allowed my mother to take his place. She held it for nine years, and for the last three years I have been post woman.

"I have three mails a day to distribute. I do my work with pleasure, the people of Froissy are satisfied with me and I am satisfied with the people of Froissy and what would you want?"

It is true that Froissy has no very great use for telegrams; nevertheless, Mme. Leobsre has occasionally to walk eight miles to deliver a dispatch, as Froissy is the telegraph center for all the neighboring villages.

It proved impossible to obtain a photograph of Miss Jeanne Murchandin, who succeeded her father as village barber. Some time ago local papers published her portrait and the result has been that she has shrunk from the camera ever since.

The 63-year-old town crier, Miss Marie Drahon-Millard, has also a hereditary right to her office. Her grandfather and her father preceded her, and when her father died, at the age of 83, from a sunstroke while he was giving out a public notice in the market place, she naturally took his place.

The station agent, Mme. Taleifed, has presided over the little railroad station for 11 years. Her husband who is a train conductor, finds himself under her orders when his train reaches Froissy.

Five Ways To Cheat.

There are these five ways of badness in paint:

(1) stuffed-out with chalk, or something like that:

(2) barytes, better than chalk, but no covering to it; nobody knows its' there;

(3) benzine in the oil, or water, or other such stuffing,

(4) too thin—too much liquid, whatever it is, for the solid;

(5) short measure;

Now will you buy by the price per "gallon?"

We have a state chemist's certificate of analysis that tells what's in Devoe.

Buckholdt Hardware Co.

Cigarets Cause Big Fire.

Washington, Pa., Sept. 13.—Boys who smoked cigarets on a hillside near Smith Creek, Greene county, are supposed to have started a fire that caused heavy losses to the farms of W. J. Blair and the Sayer heirs yesterday. Fifty tons of hay stacked in the fields was burned.

The fire spread to Blairtown, where it was checked within 100 yards of the village limits, by digging trenches and plowing furrows.

A small forest in the graveyard near Bethel Central Presbyterian church, near Van Buren, was extinguished by a bucket brigade. Water was conveyed from Van Buren in wagons, all the streams in the vicinity of the graveyard being dry. Hundreds of men and boys assisted in extinguishing the blaze. The church and several other buildings had narrow escapes from destruction.

Anxiety Leads to Tragedy.

The anxiety of a large crowd of men and woman to board a train on the Castle Shannon railroad at Fair Haven, at 9:15 o'clock last night, resulted in the death of one man and the serious injury of another. A third was slightly injured and several others had narrow escapes.

State Must Help.

The idea that if we are to improve roads on an extensive scale that the state must be a leading factor in the work of building and maintaining the highways, is steadily growing in popularity. In our own county the state in conjuncton with the county and townships, has already built several pieces of splendid road, and is building others. At the present time in the region of Canonsburg the state is building a piece of road, from Canonsburg borough east to the line which divides Peters township from North Strabane, and the section south from South Canonsburg for a distance of between three and four miles is also to be a state road, the contract having been let some time since.

Stacher-Hall.

On Thursday at Wellsburg, W. Va., occurred the marriage of Miss Audria Hall of this place and Mr. Stanley Stacher, of Monongahela The couple will for the present reside in Monongahela with Mr. Stacher's parents.

Mr. Stacher was a former trusted employe of the Home Mercantile company, of Fallowfield avenue, and is now working in McCracken and company's store at Van Voorhis. Mrs. Stacher is a former Monongahela High school girl and a favorite among a large circle of acquaintances.

Badly Wanted Man Arrested.

Samuel Haney, said to be a notorious criminal of near West Newton, has been lodged in the Greensburg jail after a still hunt on the part of officers which has lasted for months. Haney who is badly wanted for the illegal sale of liquor, was captured by Constable D. R. Kelley. He has been behind the bars several times it is said, and is wanted this time for running a joint just across the river from West Newton.

Would Be an Objection.

"Does your wife play bridge whist?"

"I don't know," answered Mr. Meckton. "But I don't think so. I understand there are times in the game when you have to keep quiet and let your partner play your hand. I'm sure that wouldn't suit Henrietta."—Washington Star.

Only a Would Be.

Priscilla—There goes that haughty Mrs. Van Horn. She claims to be a prominent woman.

Penelope—Prominent? Pooh! Why she cannot boast of even one automobile being smashed when she appears in public.—Houston Post

Possibilities of the Game.

"Does it require much physical courage to play baseball?" asked the English visitor.

"That depends," answered Miss Cayenne, "on how big a man the umpire happens to be."—Washington Star.

Economy.

"What's the matter with the manager?"

"Another one of his fits of economy Two flakes of paper snow blew off into the orchestra, and he's roasting the property man."—Boston Globe.

Change of Scene.

Redd—I suppose you don't go to the same place every day in your automobile?

Greene—Oh, no; we're in a different court nearly every day!—Yonkers Statesman.

Emil Piller, of Monessen, after being fined $12 and costs by Burgess Shutterly of that place this morning for disorderly conduct, was rearrested and held under $200 bail for court by Justice Watkins on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. It seems that Piller and a woman he calls his wife had a disagreement at the place called home on Schoonmaker avenue, and revolvers were pulled. They were arrested and taken before the burgess.

W. and J. Practice Stars.

Washington and Jefferson's annual football campaign began this afternoon under Coaches John Aiken and David Morrow. This is the first year under the new and stricter eligibility code, and no freshman will be allowed on the team. This will cause less professionalism.

Invitation Received.

An invitation to be present at the Sesquicentennial celebration of the City of Pittsburg, from September twenty-seventh to October third has been received by the Mail.

Old Home Week Begins.

Beaver Falls, Pa., Sept. 13.—Old Home week began here today with special reunion services at the different churches, pastors delivering special sermons.

Use Golden Crescent Flour. At your grocers. 7tf

Notice.

There will be a special meeting of Caligreen Encampment No. 254 on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, business of importance.

Thos. Craig, C. P. 28t2

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Humor

HIS MISTAKE.

Why Lawyer Bunsen Ceased to Be a Kidder.

Bunsen was always a great kidder. He isn't any more.

Bunsen is a lawyer, although, of course, he is known by a different name. Don't ever get the idea, though, that this didn't really happen just because Bunsen's real name isn't mentioned.

Well, as we were saying, Bunsen used to be pretty much of a kidder. He would even kid his own patient little wife. Those who care to read on down a little farther will learn why he ceased to be a kidder.

One evening last week when Bunsen got home his wife had a new hat to show him. It was some hat. Anybody could have seen that it was the final phrase in female headgear.

But Bunsen started in to make fun of it. He said it looked as if it had been trimmed by a cross eyed milliner on an empty stomach. And he made a lot of other disparaging remarks that were extremely harassing to poor Mrs. Bunsen. "D'je buy it sight unseen?" he inquired. "Say, how much do they pay the girl that sold you that? She ought to have a raise. Any girl who could put that one over a customer must be something of a smooth saleslady, I'm here to remark."

Mrs. Bunsen was almost in tears. Bunsen had to go into the other room to have a quiet laugh at her expense Oh, he was the great kidder, all right!

The next day, though, he had forgotten all about the hat.

The day after that he was reminded of his little jokefest. Mrs. Bunsen handed him a slip of paper when he came home to get his victuals that evening. It was a bill for retrimming that hat—$18.34 it came to.

Bunsen paid it without a murmur and said the revised edition of the hat was just exactly right. He isn't making fun of hats any more.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Minor Matter.

A young broker in Boston while visiting a certain household in the Hub not long ago encountered a number of young women graduates whose conversation suddenly turned to a discussion of the development of the English novel.

The dealer in stocks and bonds speedily found himself "out of it." Presently during a lull one young woman asked him:

"What do you think of Fielding, Mr. Brown?"

"Oh, fielding is important, of course," quickly responded the broker, "but it isn't worth much unless you've got good pitchers and men who can hit the ball."—Harper's Weekly.

His Trick Dog.

One day as a doctor was driving into a village he saw a man a little the worse for liquor amusing a crowd of spectators with the antics of his trick dog. The doctor watched him awhile and said:

"Sandy, how do you manage to train your dog? I can't teach mine to do anything."

Sandy, with the simple look in his eyes so common in some rustics, said:

"Well, you see, doc, you have to know more'n the dog or you can't learn him nothing."

Bad News.

"What are you worrying about, Bagsby?"

"My wife."

"I thought she was at the seaside."

"She is."

"Any bad news?"

"Yep. She's going to stay a week longer."

"There's nothing bad about that."

"Wait. She writes that she has used up all her money and can't get away."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Dream of the Fisherman Who Lied.

The Fish—How big did you say I was when you told Robinson about me?—Harper's Weekly.

More Important.

"Ah, Mrs. Newcomb," said the upish Mrs. Subbubs, "my many social duties have prevented me from calling upon you as I should. However, I will surely return your visit some day"—

"Oh, that doesn't matter much," replied Mrs. Newcomb promptly, "but I do wish you'd return the groceries you've borrowed from time to time."—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Matter of Course.

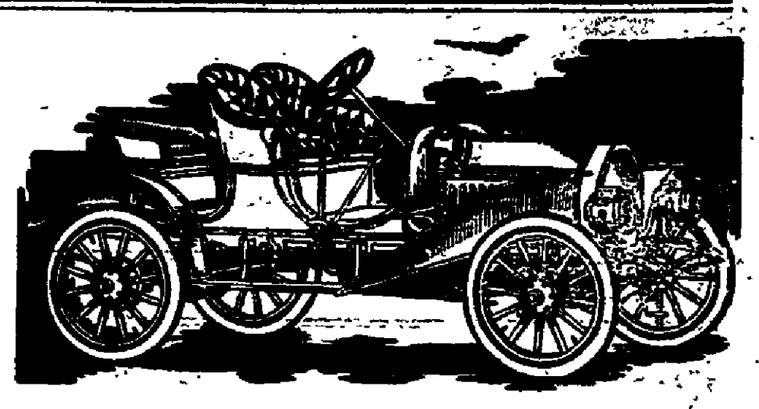
"Why do you think he is in love with you?"

"Why," replied the girl who had previously discovered that she was pretty, "why shouldn't he be?"—Smart Set.

Reprieve.

"What! Divorced already? Why, my dear fellow, I supposed you were up against it for life."

"No. I got time allowance for bad behavior."—Puck.



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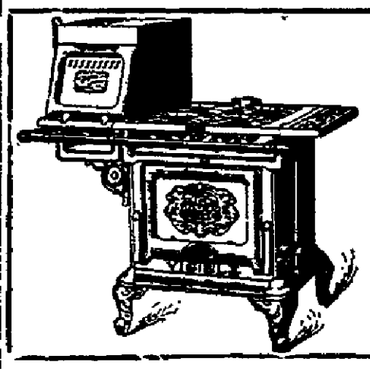

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Formalin treatment is perhaps the easiest to apply and as effective as any. Formalin can be purchased at any drug store.

The smuts are destructive parasitic fungous plants. There are two classes of smut which attack our grains—the stinking smut, or bunt, which attacks wheat only, and the loose smut, which attacks wheat, oats and barley. The former can easily be distinguished from the latter in that it has a very characteristic odor and destroys the kernel only, while the loose smut not only destroys the kernels, but also more or less of the chaff.

For the formalin treatment mix one pound of formalin in fifty gallons of water. Place the seed to be treated in burlap sacks and submerge in the solution for ten minutes. Dry the seed, and it is ready for use. If the sacks be only partly filled it will be much easier to churn them around in the solution and get all the wheat in contact with it.—Cor. American Cultivator.

Building Up the Soil.

The manure product from a single cow, according to figures of the department of agriculture, ranged in value from $30 to $40 a year. The corresponding figures for horse manure are not presented, but it is presumed that the value would be equally great, if not greater, since horse manure is heating and if kept from fire fanging has an additional value beyond its own fertility in causing bacterial fermentation and rotting of bedding and other waste material. This estimate of the value of cow manure alone, however, indicates how very important it is to the farmer to finish his live stock on his own farm and thus build up his soil.

A STRANGE DISCOVERY.

Scientists Find That a Beam of Light Produces Sound.

One of the most wonderful discoveries in science that have been made within the last year or two is the fact that a beam of light produces sound. A beam of sunlight is thrown through a lens on a glass vessel that contains lampblack, colored silk or worsted or other substance. A disk having slits or openings cut in it is made to revolve swiftly in this beam of light so as to cut it up, thus making alternate flashes of light and shadow. On putting the ear to the glass vessel strange sounds are heard so long as the flashing beam is falling on the vessel.

Recently a more wonderful discovery has been made. A beam of sunlight is made to pass through the prism so to produce what is called the solar spectrum, or rainbow. The disk is turned, and the colored light of the rainbow is made to break through it. Now place the ear to the vessel containing the silk, wool or other material. As the colored lights of the spectrum fall upon it sounds will be given by different parts of the spectrum, and there will be silence in other parts.

For instance, if the vessel contains red worsted and the green light flashes upon it loud sounds will be given. Only feeble sounds will be heard when the red and blue parts of the rainbow fall upon the vessel, and other colors make no sound at all. Green silk gives sound best in red light. Every kind of material gives more or less sound in different colors and utters no sound in others.

The discovery is a strange one, and it is thought more wonderful things will come from it.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Abdul Hamid's Joke.

Abdul Hamid, sultan of Turkey, thoroughly distrusts his ministers. He once said to Professor Vambery: "But what is there for me to do? If I change them I shall get others who are probably more dishonest." One evening his grand vizier gave a dinner party, at which with the sultan's sanction several court officers were present. One of these the next day gave Abdul Hamid a verbal report of the exhibition of magic which a dervish provided after the dinner. "In a most wonderful way," he said, "this practicer of black art swallowed silver spoons in rapid succession."

"Do you consider that wonderful?" interrupted the sultan. "The feat of swallowing silver spoons is as nothing to the feat which Hassan Pasha, the minister of the navy, used to perform. He swallowed entire ironclads apparently without any trouble."

Hassan Pasha was notorious for the barefaced audacity with which he diverted moneys granted for new ships to his own use.

Bloody Milk.

To cure a cow that gives bloody milk give her a pound of glauber salts, and when it has ceased to physic give half an ounce of niter daily for three days unless a cure seems to be effected sooner; also bathe the udder in cold water for ten minutes twice each day.—Farm Journal.

Good For Rust.

Those who have tried it say that common axle grease, provided it is not of the salty kind, is a good rust preventive for agricultural implements and tools, being equal to a coat of varnish.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY

Noted Orator and Editor.

John Temple Graves, candidate of the Independence party for vice president of the United States, is a descendant of John C. Calhoun, famed in the annals of the south. Mr. Graves is a native of South Carolina and fifty-two

JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

years old. In the south he is looked upon as the successor of the late Henry W. Grady both as an editor and an orator. For years he was one of the most popular lecturers on the Chautauqua circuit, and a number of his lectures as well as other works have been published in book form.

Mr. Graves was graduated from the University of Georgia in 1875 and went into journalism. In 1887 he founded the Atlanta Journal and later was editor of the Rome Tribune. Before removing to New York to become an editorial writer on the New York American Mr. Graves represented the south at many banquets of national importance in the large cities of the nation. Until the present campaign he has been a Democrat and was a presidential elector from Florida in 1884 and from Georgia in 1888.

Something Was Wrong.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, United States navy, tells this story against himself. He had a congressman for a guest, but had run out of his favorite brand of whisky and had stocked up with something he could not guarantee. He explained this and added, "Here, however, is some brandy that I've kept untouched for a good deal more than twenty years." "Just hand me over the whisky decanter," was the reply. "Why," said the admiral, "what's the matter with the brandy?" "That's just what I want to know, Bob," said the guest, "but if you have had it untouched in your possession for more than twenty years there must be something pretty bad the matter with it!"

A Cash Grocer.

Alderman Frank L. Dowling of New York was talking about his widely praised ordinance to make it a crime for chauffeurs to take out their masters' motor cars without leave.

"So many accidents have accompanied these stolen rides," said Alderman Dowling, "that the chauffeur has come to be regarded very skeptically. Of course the great majority of chauffeurs are all right, but there is among them a small minority, a small working minority, which we must treat as a Hoboken grocer treats his trade. This grocer is a cash grocer only. If you ask him for credit he says:

"'No, sir; no, siree. I wouldn't even trust my own feelings.'"

To Hunt Big Game In Africa.

Kermit Roosevelt, son of the president, who is to accompany his distinguished father to South Africa on a hunting trip next spring, is devoted to outdoor sports and the strenuous life. He has already made his mark as a hunter of big game in the west. A couple of years ago, with Captain Bullock, Kermit took a ten days' jaunt into the wilds of South Dakota.

KERMIT ROOSEVELT.

On the afternoon of the fifth day, while Captain Bullock and Kermit were riding in advance, they scared up a brown bear.

"There's your chance, Kermit," said the captain, and the boy brought his rifle to his shoulder with a steady hand and true eye. The bear fell at the first shot.

Kermit is an expert with the kodak and will be the picture maker of the African expedition.

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.

Washing Rugs and Carpets.

A preparation for washing rugs and carpets is made of four ounces of good white soap dissolved in four ounces of boiling water. When cool add five ounces of ammonia, two and one-half ounces of alcohol, two and one-half ounces of glycerin and two ounces of ether or chloroform. Bottle and cork tightly.

To clean a carpet add a teaspoonful of the preparation to a pail of tepid water and wring the soap from this. The same preparation will also clean men's clothes.

Two tablespoonfuls to a pint of water will remove the most obstinate stains.

Matting should be washed with strong salt and water to strengthen the fibers.

If a white or cream colored matting has become faded, wash with strong soda water, and, while this will turn it a deeper shade of creamy yellow, it will be all one color instead of variegated.

Matting should always be swept the way of the weave, not across it.

The Care of Veils.

If your white veil is very much soiled it will not be a difficult matter to bring it back to its original newness. Make a strong lather of white soap and simmer the veil in it for about a quarter of an hour.

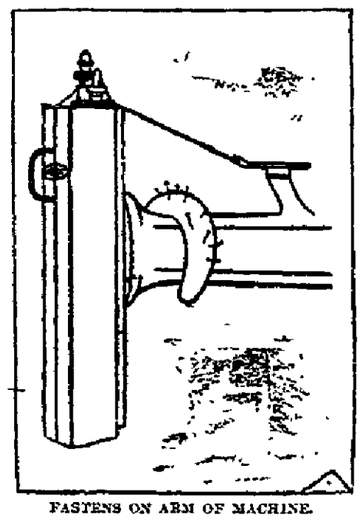
Rinse it in cold water carefully with a little liquid bluing. You can also add perfume to this water. Pass the veil through a thin gum arabic water or water in which rice has been boiled and clear it by shaking. Pin evenly on a linen cloth. When dry lay between a piece of thin muslin and iron on wrong side.

To wash your black veil pass it through hot water in which a small quantity of ox gall has been mixed, together with some perfume. Squeeze but do not rub it. Rinse in cold water, putting bluing in the last rinse.

Stiffen by dipping in a very thin glue water made by pouring water on glue. Squeeze and shake out and dry and iron on the wrong side.

A Handy Pincushion.

At first glance the pincushion herewith shown, invented by a Tennessee man, does not appear to be a very important addition to the thousands of labor and time saving devices, but second thought will show that it has its uses and that they are not so insignificant after all. It is a horseshoe shaped affair, with a bowed clamping spring arranged inside, and it fastens on the arm of a sewing machine wherever it is needed. The operator can thus have a cushion full of pins right at her hand, where she can get them without stopping the machine or delaying her work for an instant.



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Mango Chutney.

Take one quart of good vinegar, two tablespoonfuls mustard seed, two tablespoonfuls powdered ginger, two tablespoonfuls of salt, two cupfuls brown sugar, one cupful stoned raisins, two onions, two green peppers, fifteen green sour apples. Boil the vinegar, mustard, ginger, salt and sugar; stone and chop the raisins, remove the seeds from the peppers and chop them with the onions; put all with the vinegar and simmer two hours; then add the apples, pared, cored and quartered, and stew another hour or till the apples are soft. Put it into small bottles and seal.

A Mexican Stew.

Scald and peel six tomatoes and cut them in quarters. Press out the seeds. Put two tablespoonfuls tomatoes in an agate stewpan and when melted add a sweet green pepper, chopped fine, and cook about ten minutes without browning. Then add the tomato and a scant teaspoonful of salt and cook until thoroughly heated through. Then add a pint of nice fresh boiled sweet corn, shaved from the cob, more salt, if desired, and a good, generous tablespoonful of butter and serve immediately.

Egg Lemonade.

Use four or five good sized lemons, extract the juice and cut the peel into shreds. Boil one-half pound sugar with one quart of water for five minutes; then strain and cool. Add lemon juice and peel and thoroughly chill. When ready to serve beat four fresh eggs without separating until light and add the lemonade and beat together vigorously. Serve with shaved ice and a slice of lemon on top.

Silver and Brass Cleaners.

For cleaning brass and silver ware use half a cup of whiting. Fill the cup up with cold water. Pour this mixture into a bottle and add one ounce of ammonia. Shake well before using. Wet a flannel cloth with this, then rub the article to be cleaned, afterward rubbing dry till polished.

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Personal Mention

Miss Lois Darby has returned after a several week's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Reilley, of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart of McKean avenue have left for Philadelphia and Atlantic City, where they will spend several days.

M. C. Preston, of Braddock, an employee of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad is in Charleroi spending two weeks with his uncle, C. W. Jones, of Meadow avenue.

Bruce Barnett was in Butler Sunday, spending the day with friends.

Misses Hope Patton and Bernice Clutter have left for Waynesburg where they have enrolled as students in Waynesburg college.

Miss Leona Evans has left for Clarion where she has accepted a position as milliner.

Dr. H. J. Repman is a Pittsburg business visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jones of Pittsburg are spending a few days here with friends.

Edgar Leydia of Monongahela was calling on friends in Charleroi last evening.

Albert Arrison of Monongahela spent last evening with friends here.

Mrs. Clarissa Cooper and daughter, Mrs. William McClain of Washington, were visiting the former's niece, Mrs. J. P. Clutter, Saturday.

Misses Jean Calvert and Grace Myford have left for Indiana, Pa., where they will enroll as students at the Indiana Normal.

H. S. Piersol, Harry Hormell, and Ed. Hastings left today for Brookville in the former's automobile to attend the Jefferson County fair.

Charles Vaughn, of Monongahela is visiting his brother John Vaughn of Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Burnett and son Jennings, of Sharpsburg, who have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters, returned home this morning.

Mrs. T. J. Minehart, son Tom and daughter Saran of Pittsburg, left for home Sunday evening after a visit with friends here.

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PITTSBURG EXPOSITION NOW IN FULL SWING

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The Pittsburg exposition is now in full swing and the big industrial and amusement show is daily the scene of large and brilliant gatherings. This is the twentieth annual season of the exposition and the attendance up to date is far in excess of that of previous years.

The sesqui-centennial celebration of Pittsburg will be the biggest event in the history of the city and will attract immense crowds from the outlying districts Sesqui-centennial day at the exposition will be on Tuesday, Sept. 29, instead of 28, as erroneously announced previously. Special preparations have been made for the occasion in the way of decorations and amusements. This will be one of the biggest days of the celebration, and there are ample facilities for the care and comfort of the thousands who will be in attendance.

The exhibits and entertainments are larger and more varied than they were in previous seasons and are creating the most laudatory comment. The big armor plate display is attracting a great deal of attention and is particularly interesting to those who are not familiar with the construction of warships. It shows the ponderous armor plates, weighing many tons, that protect the ships from deadly shells of the enemy. The conning tower of the battleship "Delaware" is in the exhibition, as is a model of "Fighting Bob Evans's" flagship "Connecticut." A model fleet of over sixty barges of coal towed by the Sprague, the largest towboat on the river, is an instructive exhibit, while the "House Electrical," in which electricity as a household commodity is shown, is an interesting feature. Electrical devices performing such duties as washing dishes, dusting, lighting, heating, ironing and sewing are demonstrated. The big department stores have exhibits in which the latest fashions in dress are displayed and, in fact, if there is anything new under the sun it is to be found at the exposition.

The military spectacle of the Spanish-American war, which is a reproduction of all the big battles, including the destruction of the "Maine," with gorgeous scenic effects, is drawing large and delighted audiences. Hartz and his band furnish the incidental music, while illustrated songs contribute to the novelty of this entertainment, which was given its first production at the exposition. "A Day in Japan," a unique electrical exhibit, and the Theatorium, presenting the latest moving pictures, together with the merry-go-round, toboggan slide, ferris wheel and numerous other amusement features furnish fun and enjoyment for both young and old. The steamer Sunshine makes hourly trips to Davis Island dam for the benefit of the patrons.

The musical program for this season eclipses all previous efforts and the music hall is packed daily with large and fashionable audiences. Sousa, the world-famous "March King," and his incomparable band will close a brilliantly successful engagement Sept. 19. The programs of this organization are up to the minute and all the reigning New York successes, as well as the works of music masters of revered memory, are being played.

Sousa will be followed Sept. 21 by the Russian Symphony orchestra, while Arthur Pryor's band, Bostonia Women's orchestra, Creatore and Damrosch will appear in turn, completing one of the largest and best musical festivals in history.

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A roof covered with paper or felting can be quickly mended with coal tar. Paint over thickly with warm tar, then lay on a piece of fresh roofing paper, which should be fastened at the edges with roofing brads, then paint some more tar over the patch and over the edges, making a neat waterproof patch, which will last as long as the rest of the roof.

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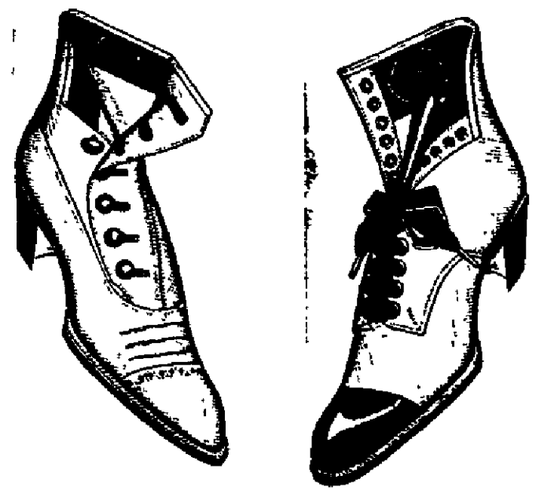

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OPERATIONS ARE STARTED

Eighteen Shops Of Imperial Bottle Works Begin This Morning.

MANY ORDERS COMING IN

At seven o'clock this morning the Imperial bottle factory started operations at the plant recently leased, and formerly occupied by the Hamilton Glass works Nine shops on the one tank which during the past few weeks has been undergoing repairs were put in operation, and considerable were is being prepared for market.

The factory will be worked day and night, making a total of eighteen shops to be placed in operation. The work on one of the new tanks which is being installed is progressing rapidly, and in a short time this also may be started, while a third smaller will be installed.

Many orders have been received and the outlook is bright for a steady run of several months, with a large daily output.

Edict Preventing Sprinkling.

Waynesburg, Pa., Sept. 13.—The Waynesburg Water company has issued an order forbidding the sprinkling of lawns and pavements, owing to the scarcity of water resulting from the drought. The company asserts its reservoirs will be exhausted if there is no rain this week. Many industrial plants of the county have suspended owing to the lack of water.

Misses and Chilldrens $1.50 shoes at 98c—Mostly all sizes—In our Bargain Basement. Lious Beigel—For Good [illegible]ean avenue. — 28t2

[illegible]NSWER [illegible]ARGE IN COURT

[illegible]e Logan, ex-chief of police of [illegible]ongahela, was lodged in jail Saturday on a bailpiece. About a week ago Logan was arrested on charges of larceny by bailee, larceny from the person and extortion. The prosecutor was Micci Bootho, of Marianna. Logan was arrested and taken before Alderman A. R. Day, Monongahela, where he gave $300 bond for his apperance at court. Detective J. Wallace Hilton went his bail. Hilton was informed, so it is said that two other charges of a similar nature had been made against Logan and were now in the district attorney's office. He went before Alderman Day and surrendered the bond. Logan was rearrested and taken to the county jail Saturday evening. District Attorney C. L. V. Acheson stated last night that he knew of no other charges against Logan but the one.

Logan arrested Bootho several days ago charging him with selling liquor without [illegible]se. He was arrested and ta[illegible]fore Alderman Day, Monongahela, where the foreigner furnished the required amount of bond.

Bootho alleges that when arrested Logan took $868 from him and made the defendant pay $14 rig hire. Logan is alleged to have returned but $383 to the foreigner, leaving a balance of $87 unaccounted for. The foreigner said that Logan was to have paid the costs with the $87, but that he had them to pay over again. Logan would not talk of his case last night.

Peoples Bank Wins Note Suit In Armstrong

Kittanning, Spet. 14.—After being out 12 hours, the jury in the case of the People's bank of California, against the Brady's Bend Clay Manufacturing company, returned a verdict for the bank of $2,170 Saturday. The trial brought out many features [illegible] with the closing of the People's bank. The note upon which the action to recover was brought was made by the Brady's Bend company at a meeting of the directors held at the company's office in Pittsburg and was for $2,000, payable in four months. It was given to W. L. Lenhart, of Brownsville, one of the directors, to be discounted. This was the last the Brady's Bend company heard of the note until the People's bank was closed. Then notice was served on the company that a note with accrued interest, against the company, was among the assets found in the bank. The company repudiated the note, declaring it had never realized any money on it. Suit followed.

MONESSEN DOES NOT LOSE STATE APPROPRIATION

Saturday F. D. Bumbaugh, treasurer, of the Monessen school board received the state appropriation for the school from the State Superintendent, the amount being $5,900.25l. It was contended that the borough would lose their appropriation on account of not having filed the annual financial report with the state superintendent at Harrisburg prior to July 15th.

Daniel Reamer, the president of the board, who is an attorney at law, denied emphatically that the appropriation was endangered at any time. He said there was some dissatisfaction about the approval of the bond which caused some to question whether or not the warrant would be authorized, but that all the requirements of the law had been met. The taxpayers of the town were considerably wrought up over the matter on account of the fear of having to make up the defict but now that the check has been received matters will assume different proportions.

PLENTY OF RAIN PROMISED SOON

Plenty of rain for this section and the drought-stricken North Central and East Central States is promised before the close of the week, though local indications are that there will be no relief for 24 hours at least. A special forecast from Washington tells of well defined disturbances approaching from the North Pacific coast and from the West Indies. A storm from the latter section is advancing on the Southeastern States, and the combination, it is thought, will be fruitful of rain in the near future.

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FOUND IN BASEMENT

Roscoe Man Thought To Have Committed Suicide.

SHERIFF MADE LEVY

His place of business closed by the sheriff on Saturday before last, the destitute owner disappearing from sight last Wednesday and the finding of his remains yesterday morning in his former place of business in the town of Roscoe, is the fate of Gotlieb Blanco, a respected citizen of that town. It is supposed that the dead man could not stand his destitute condition and rather than face the world branded as a failure, preferred to end his earthly troubles.

Blanco's pool room was closed by Sheriff J. C. Murphy last Saturday week. He did not turn over the keys to Sheriff Murphy and the sheriff was later informed that Blanco had entered his former place of business. Sheriff Murphy secured the second key. Shortly after this was taken away from him Blanco disappeared. He was last seen Wednesday of last week. Yesterday morning the family that resided next door to the pool room were sickened by an odor and then looked in the back lots nearby but could not locate the stench. Finally one of the searchers looked in the back window of the pool room and saw the decomposed body of Blanco, lying face downward.

Undertaker McKenna was notified but refused to take the body from the place until Sheriff Murphy was communicated with and the official's consent given to open the pool room. This was done and the remains were taken to the McKenna undertaking rooms.

Coroner W. H. Sipe is in Roscoe today investigating the affair.

Resolution of Respect.

Resolutions of respect, adopted by Charleroi Circle No. 303 of The Protected Home Circle, on the death of Frank P. Strausser, Charleroi, Pa., Sept. 11th, 1908.

Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty to remove from among us one of our worthy esteemed brothers Frank P. Strausser, in which we feel a great loss, but bow submissive to his will, therefore

Resolved: That the sudden removal of such a life from our midst leaves a vacancy that will be deeply realized by all members of this organization.

Resovled: That with deep sympathy with the bereaved relatives of the deceased, we express our hope that even so great a loss to us all may be overruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our Minutes, a copy printed in the local papers and a copy forwarded to the bereaved family.

Committee. 28t1

Notice.

All goods left at my place over sixty days will be sold for charges, if not called for in ten days from date. R. O. Vetter, Bell Phone 87-L 28t1

COAL COMPANIES MAKING NEW BOATS TO SEND TO MINE

On account of the low water making it impossible to bring empties into the local harbor the Pittsburg river coal companies are building new boats and refitting old bottoms which will be rushed to the mine to keep them from suspending operations. There probably is more coal in the Pittsburg harbor, waiting for high water than for years and, nearly as much as ever in the history of the coal industry. Inability to get empty flats alone prevents the coal companies from breaking all records. On Saturday a fleet of bottoms were taken to the Elizabeth boat yards where they will be fitted up. There is an [illegible] of coal predicted and [illegible] interests are practically [illegible]

ACCIDENT MARS RACES

Almost a Tragedy In Acquatic Sports At Monongahela,

BIG CROWD SATURDAY

Monongahela, Sept. 13.—With the ringing of bells and the cheering of thousands of throats, Monongahela's Old Home Week was closed at midnight last night. Saturday was one of the biggest days in point of attendance of the week, and was one of the most enjoyable, though for a short time in the afternoon it was thought that the day would be marred by a fatality as the result of a racing accident.

The acquatic races were scheduled to begin at 1:30 and by that time the river bank along the course was covered with people, and the Monongahela bridge was alive with gay crowds eager to see their favorites. The "Island Queen," the excursion steamer which had been chartered by the race committee was also crowded.

It was during the first race of the program, a race for single sculls, that the accident, which nearly resulted in the death of one of the oarsmen, took place. There were two entrants for the race, Thomas Cavett and Albert Cochran, of Pittsburg. The two left the starting point off the wharf and started neck to neck on the trip to the buoy above the bridge which marked the half-way point in the course. Cavett was in advance when the turn was made and was starting on the return trip when he was seen to reel and fall into the water. Cochran was close and he bravely jumped into the river to his opponent's assistance. A struggle in the water ensued, but Cochran finally succeeded in controlling Cavett and held the other afloat until help from a launch arrived. Medical assistance was procured and Cavett was revived. The rescue was thrilling and was witnessed by several thousand persons from the shore and from the bridge, who cheered the rescuer heartily when he plunged into the river to assist his companion, and when both were finally pulled from the water. It was stated that Cavett's collapse was due to over-exertion.

A race in which a great deal of interest was exhibited was the race for motor boats of a speed of 20 miles per hour or better. There were three entrants for this race, the "Gray Wolf," "Sprinter" and the "Tidioutte." The race was finally won by the "Sprinter," with the "Tidioute" second and the "Gray Wolf" third.

The results of the different races are given below:

Launches, three to five horsepower—Paul, of Pittsburg Yacht club, first; Chippewa, Columbia Boat club, Pittsburg, second; Esther, Beaver Canoe club, third.

Launches, six to ten horsepower—Anna, Columbia Boat club, first; Mildred, Pittsburg Yacht club, second; Fayette, Pittsburg Yacht club, third.

Double scull—Yohe and Hoon, Monongahela, first; Lorrich and Scott, Monongahela, second; Carmack and Scott, Monongahela, third.

Launches, 10 to 15 horsepower—Arrah Wanna, Pittsburg, first; Aliquippa, second.

Canoe handicap—Zinzer and Rogerson, first; Webb and Rector second.

Canoe, free-for-all—Zinzer and Rogerson, first; Yohe and Hoon, second.

Motor boats, over 20 miles per hour—Sprinter, Pittsburg, first; Tidioute, Pittsburg, second; Gray Wolf, Columbia Boat club, third.

Saturday evening, crowds on the streets were nearly as large as those of Thursday evening. As the week drew to a close the different venders reduced the prices of their wares, and thousands of bushels of confetti filled the air. Until long into the night the crowds surged up and down Main street, loath to leave the city in which they had enjoyed one of the greatest weeks in the history of Monongahela.

CHARLEROI WINS FROM MONESSEN IN LAST GAME

Charleroi played the last game of the season on Saturday when the Monessen team was taken over in an eight inning game. The game was very much one-sided as Charleroi scored at will making four runs in the first inning on a single, a base on balls, a triple and a home run by Toohey. Another run was made in the third inning on one hit and in the fifth two came Charleroi's way.

Monessen didn't score until the third when a single and a home run counted twice. In the seventh two more were marked up, when Underwood singled and Willig pounded out a home [illegible] Score

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Falls In Well; Two Bones Are Broken

Julian Frank, of Shady avenue sustained a severe injury Saturday when he fell into a well, breaking both bones of his left leg, a few inches above the ankle. Dr. Smith was called and set the bones.

Mr. Frank, who is a man of about forty-five years of age was on Saturday at work digging the well, and was starting to make the descent after a trip to the surface, when the rope which he was suspended broke and Frank fell to the bottom, a distance of about thirty feet. His cries attracted aid and the man was brought from the well and taken to his home. The injuries will keep him to his bed for sometime.

Look in our Bargain Basement, will be of interest to you. Odds and Ends of all kinds of good shoes on display. Louis Beigel—for good shoes—419 McKean avenue. 28t2

MINERS MAKE BIG MONEY AT MARIANNA MINES

A number of new entries were started at the Rachel shaft of the Pittsburg-Buffalo company, Marianna, this Monday morning, and fifty additional miners were put to work. John McVicker, formerly superintendent of Catsburg and Black Diamond, is in charge and is pushing the work of development in a thoroughly practical manner. The wages made by the men, at this mine is something above the ordinary, but the miners are able to keep it up from day to day, resulting in large pay envelopes twice a month. Mr. McVicker has furnished a list of eight names of miners, and the amount of money they make each day of work. Four English speaking men and four Russians were selected, with the amounts as set opposite their names on the pay roll, which is as follows:—

English speaking miners, per day:—H. B. Lambert, $7.90; John Miller, $7.90; Wm. Burns, $7.90; Jacob Cooper $7.90.

Russian miners—Larry Morris $7.90: John Cakeinoff, $7.90; Anthony Sineloff $7.90.

Supt. McVicker states that all the cutters and loaders are making good money. Open lights are used all over the mine, and that the Rachel shaft is a most desirable place to work.

PAXTON IS APPREHENDED

Young California Man Who Jumped Bail To Undergo Trial.

AN ALLEGED FORGER

Despite the fact that he forfeited his recognizance and failed to appear when called for trial at the last term of court, Harry G. Paxton, of California, will be tried in the Washington county court for forgery and uttering and publishing forged papers. The young man was captured at Pocahontas, Va., last week and was brought back to Washington by County Detective William McCleary. The detective arrived with his prisoner last evening and the latter is now in the county jail.

Paxton, it is alleged forged three checks on the First National bank of California using his brother's name, Dr. Cornelius Paxton, of California. The amounts of the checks were $30, $35 and $25. The bank proceeded against the young man and he was admitted on a bond of $500. his aunt, Rachel Cornelius, furnishing the amount. The time for his trial was set but Paxton failed to appear. His recognizance was forfeited.

The National Bankers' association took the case up and put its detectives on the trail of Paxton. He located the young man in Taxewell county, Virginia, engaged in surveying. The chief of police at Pocahontas placed Paxton under arrest and notified the authorities at Washington.

County Detective McCleary left on Wednesday night for Harrisburg where he secured requisition papers and then left for Pocahontas.

UNDISMAYED BY GOVENOR'S ACTION

Johnstown, Pa., September 14.—Undismayed by the refusal of Governor Hughes to allow the extradition of Joseph and Louis Egler, under arrest in New York for alleged complicity in the murder of their uncle, S. J. Rosenbloom, of Windber, District Attorney Miller, of Somerset county, has, by no means, abandoned the effort to bring the pair to trial.

Governor Hughes refused to act because the body found in a trunk near Camden, N. J., had not been positively identified as that of Rosenbloom, and District Attorney Miller, having already secured permission from the Camden authorities, is now preparing to have the body exhumed and examined by Windber doctors and dentists who were familiar with the anatomical peculiarities of the dead merchant.

Detective reports to the district attorney indicate positively that Alex. Rosenbloom, son of the Windber merchant and alleged principal in the murder plot is still in America, and word of his capture is expected any day. His movements have been traced to Camden, Dayton, O., Baltimore, New Orleans and New York, at which last place his appearance is known to have been greatly disguised.

Select Affair.

The Knights of Columbus outing at Eldora park Tuesday, Sept. 15, is to be a select affair, only the members and friends to be admitted.

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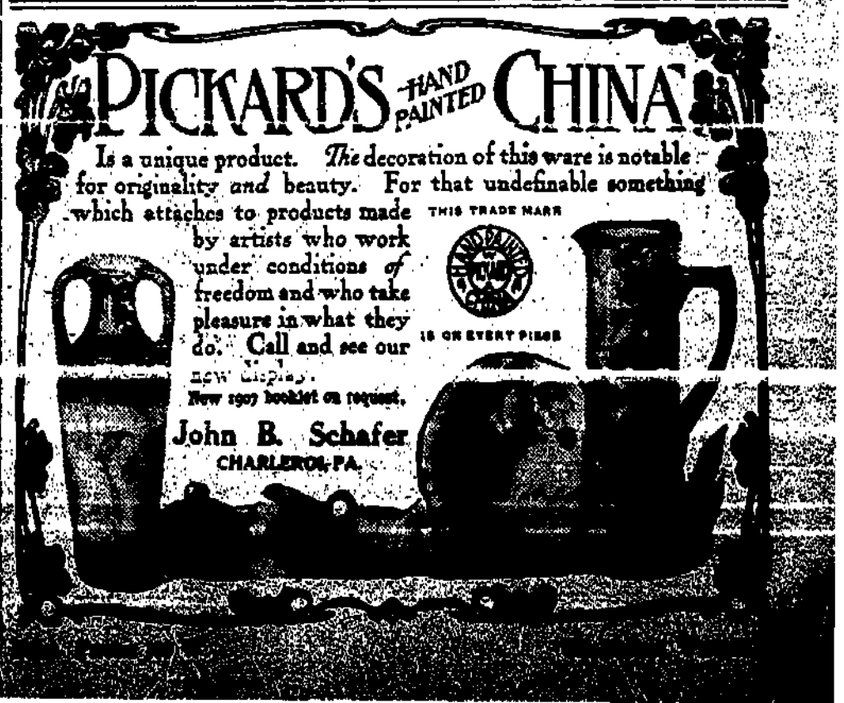

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Sept. 14 In History.

407—John Chrysostom, famous preacher of Constantinople, died.

1547—Jan van Olden Barnevelt, Dutch statesman and martyr, born; beheaded May 13, 1619.

1742—James Wilson, "signer" for Pennsylvania, born near St. Andrews, Scotland; died 1798.

1807—Fulton first ascended the Hudson by steam.

1852—The Duke of Wellington died; born 1769.

1901—President William McKinley died at Buffalo of the wound received on the 6th at the hands of Leon F. Czolgosz; born Niles, O., Jan. 29, 1843. Vice President Theodore Roosevelt took the oath of office as president of the United States.

1906—Secretary Taft ordered to Cuba on account of the revolution.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:07, rises 5:36; moon rises 8:53 p. m.; moon's age 19 days; 4 p. m., planet Venus at greatest elongation west, farthest west from sun, 46 degrees and 2 minutes; now going almost directly from the earth.

Electric Sparks.

A Texas man has married a woman whose pie killed her first husband. We admire courage in a man, but this looks like recklessness.

Guaranteeing the safe arrival of airships might also make a hit as a campaign issue.

Representative Longworth's remark that Taft is running on his record and that Bryan is running away from his record is equally epigramatic and accurate and well deserves to "stick."

In the matter of guaranteed bank deposits a great many people would prefer a guarantee that they will have deposits.

Springfield, Mass., is trying to find out the best way to advertise the town. Well, Springfield, Ohio, Springfield, Mo., Springfield, Ill., have tried coon lynching, but we do not recommend that kind of an ad.

So many campaign speakers are addressing pointed questions to Speaker Cannon that the speaker can hardly get a word in edgeways.

By a contest in donation of money with no string attachment, Messrs. Carnegie and Rockefeller could afford widespread satisfaction.

Treaty With China.

The latest advice from China to the Government at Washington indicates that the Chinese Government earnestly desires a strong treaty with the U. S. Government. The Chinese have observed with much interest, the manner in which Japan has swallowed Corea, horse wagon and dragoon. While China is too big a mouthful to be swallowed in a lump, they realize that Japan is endeavoring to occupy their territory, step by step, until they shall have served China as they served Corea. So China desires the continued friendship of Uncle Sam, as she knows Uncle Sam will hold Japan in check. This treaty will be beneficial in the greatest degree to both China and this country and will be a great triumph for President Roosevelt.

Rain Promised.

The weather men promise rain, and make a statement that before the end of this week we will have wet in abundance. Goodness knows we need it. The cities, towns, farms, hamlets, all are in dire straits from lack of water. The farmers are suffering perhaps more than any other class of individuals, for not only are they held back from their agricultural pursuits, but are losing much stock through their inability to secure water. In several towns the sprinkling of lawns and streets has been prohibited by the water companies so that the liquid may be supplied for the mere necessities. The news sent out by the weather bureau is received with delight.

Where Women Run Things.

Froissy, the chief village of the canton in the arondissement of Clermont, half way between Paris and Amiens, has achieved fame these days through the discovery that many of its public offices are held by women.

Five important posts in this village of 235 inhabitants are filled by women who probably could not define the world suffragatta. Mme. Daubois, the postwoman, has a hereditary title to her distinction.

"My father was a postman for 25 years and died two months before he was entitled to his retiring pension," she told a reporter. "The administration allowed my mother to take his place. She held it for nine years, and for the last three years I have been post woman.

"I have three mails a day to distribute. I do my work with pleasure, the people of Froissy are satisfied with me and I am satisfied with the people of Froissy and what would you want?"

It is true that Froissy has no very great use for telegrams; nevertheless, Mme. Leobsre has occasionally to walk eight miles to deliver a dispatch, as Froissy is the telegraph center for all the neighboring villages.

It proved impossible to obtain a photograph of Miss Jeanne Murchandin, who succeeded her father as village barber. Some time ago local papers published her portrait and the result has been that she has shrunk from the camera ever since.

The 63-year-old town crier, Miss Marie Drahon-Millard, has also a hereditary right to her office. Her grandfather and her father preceded her, and when her father died, at the age of 83, from a sunstroke while he was giving out a public notice in the market place, she naturally took his place.

The station agent, Mme. Taleifed, has presided over the little railroad station for 11 years. Her husband who is a train conductor, finds himself under her orders when his train reaches Froissy.

Five Ways To Cheat.

There are these five ways of badness in paint:

(1) stuffed-out with chalk, or something like that;

(2) barytes, better than chalk, but no covering to it: nobody knows its' there;

(3) benzine in the oil, or water, or other such stuffing.

(4) too thin—too much liquid, whatever it is, for the solid;

(5) short measure:

Now will you buy by the price per "gallon?"

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Cigarets Cause Big Fire.

Washington, Pa., Sept. 13.—Boys who smoked cigarets on a hillside near Smith Creek, Greene county, are supposed to have started a fire that caused heavy losses to the farms of W. J. Blair and the Sayer heirs yesterday. Fifty tons of hay stacked in the fields was burned.

The fire spread to Blairtown, where it was checked within 100 yards of the village limits, by digging trenches and plowing furrows.

A small forest in the graveyard near Bethel Central Presbyterian church, near Van Buren, was extinguished by a bucket brigade. Water was conveyed from Van Buren in wagons, all the streams in the vicinity of the graveyard being dry. Hundreds of men and boys assisted in extinguishing the blaze. The church and several other buildings had narrow escapes from destruction.

Anxiety Leads to Tragedy.

The anxiety of a large crowd of men and woman to board a train on the Castle Shannon railroad at Fair Haven, at 9:15 o'clock last night, resulted in the death of one man and the serious injury of another. A third was slightly injured and several others had narrow escapes.

State Must Help.

The idea that if we are to improve roads on an extensive scale that the state must be a leading factor in the work of building and maintaining the highways, is steadily growing in popularity. In our own county the state in conjuncton with the county and townships, has already built several pieces of splendid road, and is building others. At the present time in the region of Canonsburg the state is building a piece of road, from Canonsburg borough east to the line which divides Peters township from North Strabane, and the section south from South Canonsburg for a distance of between three and four miles is also to be a state road, the contract having been let some time since.

Stacher-Hall.

On Thursday at Wellsburg, W. Va., occurred the marriage of Miss Audria Hall of this place and Mr. Stanley Stacher, of Monongahela The couple will for the present reside in Monongahela with Mr. Stacher's parents.

Mr. Stacher was a former trusted employe of the Home Mercantile company, of Fallowfield avenue, and is now working in McCracken and company's store at Van Voorhis. Mrs. Stacher is a former Monongahela High school girl and a favorite among a large circle of acquaintances.

Badly Wanted Man Arrested.

Samuel Haney, said to be a notorious criminal of near West Newton, has been lodged in the Greensburg jail after a still hunt on the part of officers which has lasted for months. Haney who is badly wanted for the illegal sale of liquor, was captured by Constable D. R. Kelley. He has been behind the bars several times it is said, and is wanted this time for running a joint just across the river from West Newton.

Would Be an Objection.

"Does your wife play bridge whist?"

"I don't know," answered Mr. Meekton. "But I don't think so. I understand there are times in the game when you have to keep quiet and let your partner play your hand. I'm sure that wouldn't suit Henrietta."—Washington Star.

Only a Would Be.

Priscilla—There goes that haughty Mrs. Van Horn. She claims to be a prominent woman.

Penelope—Prominent? Pooh! Why, she cannot boast of even one camera being smashed when she appears in public.—Houston Post.

Possibilities of the Game.

"Does it require much physical courage to play baseball?" asked the English visitor.

"That depends," answered Miss Cayenne, "on how big a man the umpire happens to be."—Washington Star.

Economy.

"What's the matter with the manager?"

"Another one of his fits of economy Two flakes of paper snow blew off into the orchestra, and he's roasting the property man."—Boston Globe.

Change of Scene.

Redd—I suppose you don't go to the same place every day in your automobile?

Greene—Oh, no; we're in a different court nearly every day!—Yonkers Statesman.

Emil Piller, of Monessen, after being fined $12 and costs by Burgess Shutterly of that place this morning for disorderly conduct, was rearrested and held under $200 bail for court by Justice Watkins on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. It seems that Piller and a woman he calls his wife had a disagreement at the place called home on Schoonmaker avenue, and revolvers were pulled. They were arrested and taken before the burgess.

W. and J. Practice Stars.

Washington and Jefferson's annual football campaign began this afternoon under Coaches John Aiken and David Morrow. This is the first year under the new and stricter eligibility code, and no freshman will be allowed on the team. This will cause less professionalism.

Invitation Received.

An invitation to be present at the Sesquicentennial celebration of the City of Pittsburg, from September twenty-seventh to October third has been received by the Mail.

Old Home Week Begins.

Beaver Falls, Pa., Sept. 13.—Old Home week began here today with special reunion services at the different churches, pastors delivering special sermons.

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There will be a special meeting of Caligreen Encampment No. 254 on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, business of importance.

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Humor

HIS MISTAKE.

Why Lawyer Bunsen Ceased to Be a Kidder.

Bunsen was always a great kidder. He isn't any more.

Bunsen is a lawyer, although, of course, he is known by a different name. Don't ever get the idea, though, that this didn't really happen just because Bunsen's real name isn't mentioned.

Well, as we were saying, Bunsen used to be pretty much of a kidder. He would even kid his own patient little wife. Those who care to read on down a little farther will learn why he ceased to be a kidder.

One evening last week when Bunsen got home his wife had a new hat to show him. It was some hat. Anybody could have seen that it was the final phrase in female headgear.

But Bunsen started in to make fun of it. He said it looked as if it had been trimmed by a cross eyed milliner on an empty stomach. And he made a lot of other disagreeable remarks that were extremely harassing to poor Mrs. Bunsen. "D'je buy it sight unseen?" he inquired. "Say, how much do they pay the girl that sold you that? She ought to have a raise. Any girl who could put that one over a customer must be something of a smooth saleslady. I'm here to remark."

Mrs. Bunsen was almost in tears. Bunsen had to go into the other room to have a quiet laugh at her expense. Oh, he was the great kidder, all right!

The next day, though, he had forgotten all about the hat.

The day after that he was reminded of his little jokefest. Mrs. Bunsen handed him a slip of paper when he came home to get his victuals that evening. It was a bill for retrimming that hat—$18.34 it came to.

Bunsen paid it without a murmur and said the revised edition of the hat was just exactly right. He isn't making fun of hats any more.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Minor Matter.

A young broker in Boston while visiting a certain household in the Hub not long ago encountered a number of young women graduates whose conversation suddenly turned to a discussion of the development of the English novel.

The dealer in stocks and bonds speedily found himself "out of it." Presently during a lull one young woman asked him:

"What do you think of Fielding, Mr. Brown?"

"Oh, fielding is important, of course," quickly responded the broker, "but it isn't worth much unless you've got good pitchers and men who can hit the ball."—Harper's Weekly.

His Trick Dog.

One day as a doctor was driving into a village he saw a man a little the worse for liquor amusing a crowd of spectators with the antics of his trick dog. The doctor watched him awhile and said:

"Sandy, how do you manage to train your dog? I can't teach mine to do anything."

Sandy, with the simple look in his eyes so common in some rosties, said:

"Weel, you see, doc, you have to know more'n the dog or you can't learn him nothing."

Bad News.

"What are you worrying about, Bagsby?"

"My wife."

"I thought she was at the seaside."

"She is."

"Any bad news?"

"Yep. She's going to stay a week longer."

"There's nothing bad about that."

"Wait. She writes that she has used up all her money and can't get away."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Dream of the Fisherman Who Lied.

The Fish—How big did you say I was when you told Robinson about me?—Harper's Weekly.

More Important.

"Ah, Mrs. Newcomb," said the uppish Mrs. Subbubs, "my many social duties have prevented me from calling upon you as I should. However, I will surely return your visit some day"—

"Oh, that doesn't matter much," replied Mrs. Newcomb promptly, "but I do wish you'd return the groceries you've borrowed from time to time."—Catholic Standard and Times.

A Matter of Course.

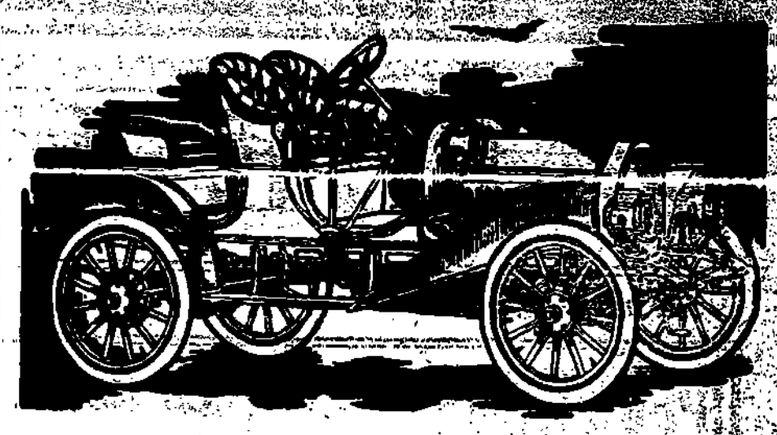
"Why do you think he is in love with you?"

"Why," replied the girl who had previously discovered that she was pretty, "why shouldn't he be?"—Smart Set.

Reprieve.

"What! Divorced already? Why, my dear fellow, I supposed you were up against it for life."

"No. I got time allowance for bad behavior."—Puck.



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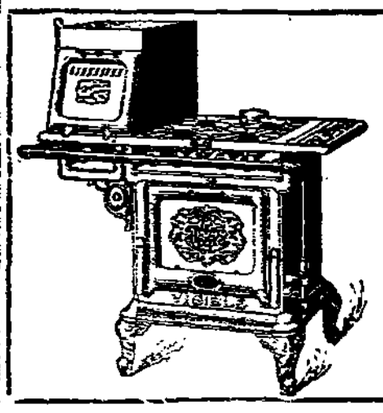

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Sheep Breeding.

A successful sheep breeder says: Do not breed a dry fleeced ram. The sire is the proper one to use, but in order to be such he must be a good individual and descend from the best lineage [illegible] dam and blood lines. Have [illegible]al and breed to produce it. [illegible] of as much importance in [illegible]eding as it is anywhere else.

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HINTS FOR FARMERS

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Formalin treatment is perhaps the easiest to apply and as effective as any. Formalin can be purchased at any drug store.

The smuts are destructive parasitic fungous plants. There are two classes of smut which attack our grains—the stinking smut, or bunt, which attacks wheat only, and the loose smut, which attacks wheat, oats and barley. The former can easily be distinguished from the latter in that it has a very characteristic odor and destroys the kernel only, while the loose smut not only destroys the kernels, but also more or less of the chaff.

For the formalin treatment mix one pound of formalin in fifty gallons of water. Place the seed to be treated in burlap sacks and submerge in the solution for ten minutes. Dry the seed, and it is ready for use. If the sacks be only partly filled it will be much easier to churn them around in the solution and get all the wheat in contact with it.—Cor. American Cultivator.

Building Up the Soil.

The manure product from a single cow, according to figures of the department of agriculture, ranged in value from $30 to $40 a year. The corresponding figures for horse manure are not presented, but it is presumed that the value would be equally great, if not greater, since horse manure is heating and if kept from fire fanging has an additional value beyond its own fertility in causing bacterial fermentation and rotting of bedding and other waste material. This estimate of the value of cow manure alone, however, indicates how very important it is to the farmer to finish his live stock on his own farm and thus build up his soil.

A STRANGE DISCOVERY.

Scientists Find That a Beam of Light Produces Sound.

One of the most wonderful discoveries in science that have been made within the last year or two is the fact that a beam of light produces sound. A beam of sunlight is thrown through a lens on a glass vessel that contains lampblack, colored silk or worsted or other substance. A disk having slits or openings cut in it is made to revolve swiftly in this beam of light so as to cut it up, thus making alternate flashes of light and shadow. On putting the ear to the glass vessel strange sounds are heard so long as the flashing beam is falling on the vessel.

Recently a more wonderful discovery has been made. A beam of sunlight is made to pass through the prism so to produce what is called the solar spectrum, or rainbow. The disk is turned, and the colored light of the rainbow is made to break through it. Now place the ear to the vessel containing the silk, wool or other material. As the colored lights of the spectrum fall upon it sounds will be given by different parts of the spectrum, and there will be silence in other parts.

For instance, if the vessel contains red worsted and the green light flashes upon it loud sounds will be given. Only feeble sounds will be heard when the red and blue parts of the rainbow fall upon the vessel, and other colors make no sound at all. Green silk gives sound best in red light. Every kind of material gives more or less sound in different colors and utters no sound in others.

The discovery is a strange one, and it is thought more wonderful things will come from it.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Abdul Hamid's Joke.

Abdul Hamid, sultan of Turkey, thoroughly distrusts his ministers. He once said to Professor Vambery: "But what is there for me to do? If I change them I shall get others who are probably more dishonest." One evening his grand vizier gave a dinner party, at which with the sultan's sanction several court officers were present. One of these the next day gave Abdul Hamid a verbal report of the exhibition of magic which a dervish provided after the dinner. "In a most wonderful way," he said, "this practicer of black art swallowed silver spoons in rapid succession."

"Do you consider that wonderful?" interrupted the sultan. "The feat of swallowing silver spoons is as nothing to the feat which Hassan Pasha, the minister of the navy, used to perform. He swallowed entire ironclads apparently without any trouble."

Hassan Pasha was notorious for the barefaced audacity with which he diverted moneys granted for new ships to his own use.

Bloody Milk.

To cure a cow that gives bloody milk give her a pound of glauber salts, and when it has ceased to physic give half an ounce of niter daily for three days unless a cure seems to be effected sooner; also bathe the udder in cold water for ten minutes twice each day. —Farm Journal.

Good For Rust.

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PEOPLE OF THE DAY

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John Temple Graves, candidate of the Independence party for vice president of the United States, is a descendant of John C. Calhoun, famed in the annals of the south. Mr. Graves is a native of South Carolina and [illegible] two

JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES.

years old. In the south he is looked upon as the successor of the late Henry W. Grady both as an editor and an orator. For years he was one of the most popular lecturers on the Chautauqua circuit, and a number of his lectures as well as other works have been published in book form.

Mr. Graves was graduated from the University of Georgia in 1875 and went into journalism. In 1887 he founded the Atlanta Journal and later was editor of the Rome Tribune. Before removing to New York to become an editorial writer on the New York American Mr. Graves represented the south at many banquets of national importance in the large cities of the nation. Until the present campaign he has been a Democrat and was a presidential elector from Florida in 1884 and from Georgia in 1888.

Something Was Wrong.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, United States navy, tells this story against himself. He had a congressman for a guest, but had run out of his favorite brand of whisky and had stocked up with something he could not guarantee. He explained this and added, "Here, however, is some brandy that I've kept untouched for a good deal more than twenty years." "Just hand me over the whisky decanter," was the reply. "Why," said the admiral, "what's the matter with the brandy?" "That's just what I want to know, Bob," said the guest, "but if you have had it untouched in your possession for more than twenty years there must be something pretty bad the matter with it!"

A Cash Grocer.

Alderman Frank L. Dowling of New York was talking about his widely praised ordinance to make it a crime for chauffeurs to take out their masters' motor cars without leave.

"So many accidents have accompanied these stolen rides," said Alderman Dowling, "that the chauffeur has come to be regarded very skeptically. Of course the great majority of chauffeurs are all right, but there is among them a small minority, a small working minority, which we must treat as a Hoboken grocer treats his trade. This grocer is a cash grocer only. If you ask him for credit he says:

"'No, sir; no, siree. I wouldn't even trust my own feelings.'"

To Hunt Big Game In Africa.

Kermit Roosevelt, son of the president, who is to accompany his distinguished father to South Africa on a hunting trip next spring, is devoted to outdoor sports and the strenuous life. He has already made his mark as a hunter of big game in the west. A couple of years ago, with Captain Bul-

KERMIT ROOSEVELT.

lock, Kermit took a ten days' jaunt into the wilds of South Dakota.

On the afternoon of the fifth day, while Captain Bullock and Kermit were riding in advance, they scared up a brown bear.

"There's your chance, Kermit," said the captain, and the boy [illegible] ride to his shoulder with a steady hand and true eye. The bear fell at the first shot.

Kermit is an expert with the kodak and will be the picture maker of the African expedition.

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

Washing Rugs and Carpets.

A preparation for washing rugs and carpets is made of four ounces of good white soap dissolved in four ounces of boiling water. When cool add five ounces of ammonia, two and one-half ounces of alcohol, two and one-half ounces of glycerin and two ounces of ether or chloroform. Bottle and cork tightly.

To clean a carpet add a teaspoonful of the preparation to a pail of tepid water and wring the soap from this. The same preparation will also clean men's clothes.

Two tablespoonfuls to a pint of water will remove the most obstinate stains.

Matting should be washed with strong salt and water to strengthen the fibers.

If a white or cream colored matting has become faded, wash with strong soda water, and, while this will turn it a deeper shade of creamy yellow, it will be all one color instead of variegated.

Matting should always be swept the way of the weave, not across it.

The Care of Veils.

If your white veil is very much soiled it will not be a difficult matter to bring it back to its original newness. Make a strong lather of white soap and simmer the veil in it for about a quarter of an hour.

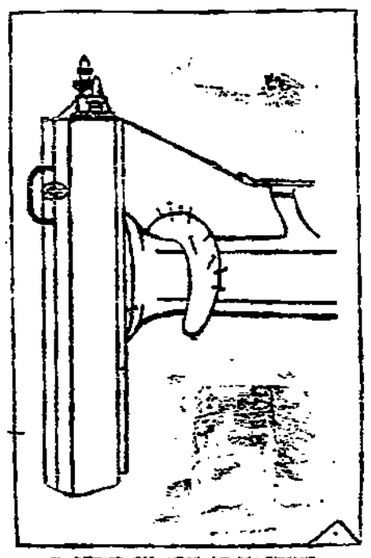
Rinse it in cold water carefully with a little liquid bluing. You can also add perfume to this water. Pass the veil through a thin gum arabic water or water in which rice has been boiled and clear it by shaking. Pin evenly on a linen cloth. When dry lay between a piece of thin muslin and iron on wrong side.

To wash your black veil pass it through hot water in which a small quantity of ox gall has been mixed, together with some perfume. Squeeze but do not rub it. Rinse in cold water, putting bluing in the last rinse.

Stiffen by dipping in a very thin glue water made by pouring water on glue. Squeeze and shake out and dry and iron on the wrong side.

A Handy Pincushion.

At first glance the pincushion herewith shown, invented by a Tennessee man, does not appear to be a very important addition to the thousands of labor and time saving devices, but second thought will show that it has its uses and that they are not so insignif-



FASTENS ON ARM OF MACHINE.

icant after all. It is a horseshoe shaped affair, with a bowed clamping spring arranged inside, and it fastens on the arm of a sewing machine wherever it is needed. The operator can thus have a cushion full of pins right at her hand, where she can get them without stopping the machine or delaying her work for an instant.

Mango Chutney.

Take one quart of good vinegar, two tablespoonfuls mustard seed, two tablespoonfuls powdered ginger, two tablespoonfuls of salt, two cupfuls brown sugar, one cupful stoned raisins, two onions, two green peppers, fifteen green sour apples. Boil the vinegar, mustard, ginger, salt and sugar; stone and chop the raisins, remove the seeds from the peppers and chop them with the onions; put all with the vinegar and simmer two hours; then add the apples, pared, cored and quartered, and stew another hour or till the apples are soft. Put it into small bottles and seal.

A Mexican Stew.

Scald and peel six tomatoes and cut them in quarters. Press out the seeds. Put two tablespoonfuls tomatoes in an agate stewpan and when melted add a sweet green pepper, chopped fine, and cook about ten minutes without browning. Then add the tomato and a scant teaspoonful of salt and cook until thoroughly heated through. Then add a pint of new fresh boiled sweet corn, shaved from the cob, more salt, if desired, and a good, generous tablespoonful of butter and serve immediately.

Egg Lemonade.

Use four or five good sized lemons, extract the juice and cut the peel into shreds. Boil one-half pound sugar with one quart of water for five minutes; then strain and cool. Add lemon juice and peel and thoroughly chill. When ready to serve beat four fresh eggs without separating until light and add the lemonade and beat together vigorously. Serve with shaved ice and a slice of lemon on top.

Silver and Brass Cleaners.

For cleaning brass and silver ware [illegible] half a cup of whiting. Fill the cup up with cold water. Pour this mixture into a bottle and add one ounce of ammonia. Shake well before using. Wet a flannel cloth with this, then rub the article to be cleaned, afterward rubbing dry till polished.

A Hold Up

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Personal Mention

Miss Lois Darby has returned after a several week's visit with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Reilley, of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stewart of McKean avenue have left for Philadelphia and Atlantic City, where they will spend several days.

M. C. Preston, of Braddock, an employee of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad is in Charleroi spending two weeks with his uncle, C. W. Jones, of Meadow avenue.

Bruce Barnett was in Butler Sunday, spending the day with friends.

Misses Hope Patton and Bernice Clutter have left for Waynesburg where they have enrolled as students in Waynesburg college.

Miss Leona Evans has left for Clarion where she has accepted a position as milliner.

Dr. H. J. Repman is a Pittsburg business visitor today.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jones of Pittsburg are spending a few days here with friends.

Edgar Leydig of Monongahela was calling on friends in Charleroi last evening.

Albert Arrison of Monongahela spent last evening with friends here.

Mrs. Clarissa Cooper and daughter, Mrs. William McClain of Washington, were visiting the former's niece, Mrs. J. P. Clutter, Saturday.

Misses Jean Calvert and Grace Myford have left for Indiana, Pa., where they will enroll as students at the Indiana Normal.

H. S. Piersol, Harry Hormell, and Ed. Hastings left today for Brookville in the former's automobile to attend the Jefferson County fair.

Charles Vaughn, of Monongahela is visiting his brother John Vaughn of Washington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Burnett and son Jennings, of Sharpsburg, who have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters, returned home this morning.

Mrs. T. J. Minehart, son Tom and daughter Saran of Pittsburg, left for home Sunday evening after a visit with friends here.

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Exhibits and Entertainments Are Better Than Ever

The Pittsburg exposition is now in full swing and the big industrial and amusement show is daily the scene of large and brilliant gatherings. This is the twentieth annual season of the exposition and the attendance up to date is far in excess of that of previous years.

The sesqui-centennial celebration of Pittsburg will be the biggest event in the history of the city and will attract immense crowds from the outlying districts. Sesqui-centennial day at the exposition will be on Tuesday, Sept. 29, instead of 28, as erroneously announced previously. Special preparations have been made for the occasion in the way of decorations and amusements. This will be one of the biggest days of the celebration, and there are ample facilities for the care and comfort of the thousands who will be in attendance.

The exhibits and entertainments are larger and more varied than they were in previous seasons and are creating the most laudatory comment. The big armor plate display is attracting a great deal of attention and is particularly interesting to those who are not familiar with the construction of warships. It shows the ponderous armor plates, weighing many tons, that protect the ships from deadly shells of the enemy. The conning tower of the battleship "Delaware" is in the exhibition, as is a model of "Fighting Bob Evans's" flagship "Connecticut." A model fleet of over sixty barges of coal towed by the Sprague, the largest towboat on the river, is an instructive exhibit, while the "House Electrical," in which electricity as a household commodity is shown, is an interesting feature. Electrical devices performing such duties as washing dishes, dusting, lighting, heating, ironing and sewing are demonstrated. The big department stores have exhibits in which the latest fashions in dress are displayed and, in fact, if there is anything new under the sun it is to be found at the exposition.

The military spectacle of the Spanish-American war, which is a reproduction of all the big battles, including the destruction of the "Maine," with gorgeous scenic effects, is drawing large and delighted audiences. Hartz and his band furnish the incidental music, while illustrated songs contribute to the novelty of this entertainment, which was given its first production at the exposition. "A Day in Japan," a unique electrical exhibit, and the Theatorium, presenting the latest moving pictures, together with the merry-go-round, toboggan slide, Ferris wheel and numerous other amusement features furnish fun and enjoyment for both young and old. The steamer Sunshine makes hourly trips to Davis Island dam for the benefit of the patrons.

The musical program for this season eclipses all previous efforts and the music hall is packed daily with large and fashionable audiences. Sousa, the world-famous "March King," and his incomparable band will close a brilliantly successful engagement Sept. 19. The programs of this organization are up to the minute and all the reigning New York successes, as well as the works of music masters of revered memory, are being played.

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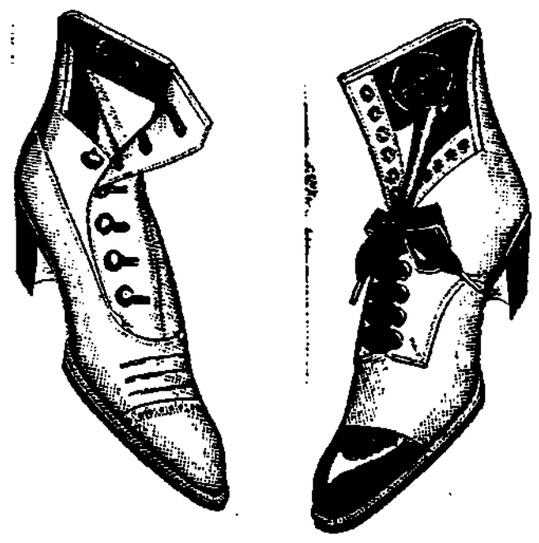

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